

Fact Sheet 13: Gold Coast Statistical Division

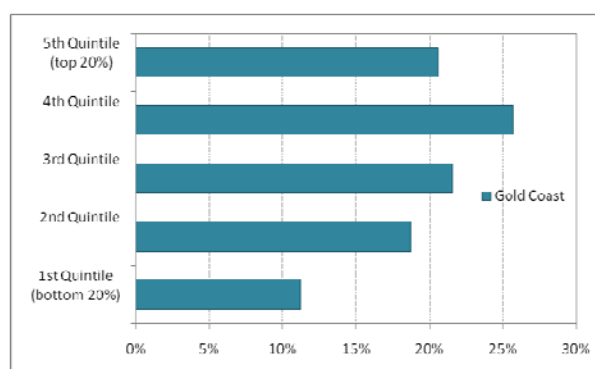
Gold Coast Statistical Division	Total	Quintile 1
	<i>Usual Resident Population</i>	482,319
<i>Census Collection Districts</i>	898	101
<i>Statistical Local Areas</i>	46	4
<i>Area (sq km)</i>		1,870
<i>Density</i>	257.9 persons per sq km	
<i>Remoteness Area 2006 of Quintile 1 CDs</i>	Major Cities	

Overview

The Gold Coast SD has 12.4% of Queensland's population and the second highest weighted average SEIFA IRSD score at 1,019. Just over 10% of the Gold Coast population lived in the most disadvantaged CDs equalling 49,940 people. **Figure 11 (a) and (b)** and **Table** show the distribution of CDs and CD population by quintiles.

Figure 11. Proportion of CDs in SD by IRSD Quintiles - Gold Coast SD

(a) Proportion of CDs in SD by IRSD Quintiles



(b) Proportion of CD Population in SD by IRSD Quintiles

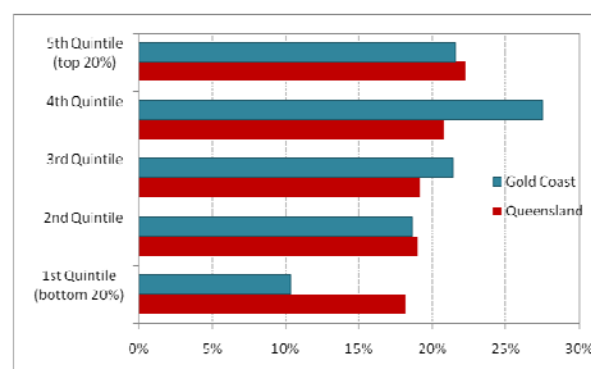


Table 1. Total Number of CDs and Population by IRSD Quintiles - Gold Coast SD

	Total	Total with IRSD Score	Proportion by IRSD Quintiles (%)					Total CDs with no IRSD Score
			Relatively most disadvantaged		Relatively least disadvantaged			
			1 bottom 20%	2	3	4	5 top 20%	
CDs	898	879	101 11%	168 19%	194 22%	231 26%	185 21%	19 2%
Population in CDs	482,319	479,974	49,940 10%	89,800 19%	103,213 22%	132,891 28%	104,130 22%	2,345 0%
Average IRSD Score for CDs		1,019	882	966	1,010	1,052	1,097	-

Location of the Most Relatively Disadvantaged Groups by SLA and LGA

The Gold Coast SD includes 45 SLAs. Three Gold Coast SLAs were located in Quintile 1 as follows: Eagleby (870), Beenleigh (911), Coolangatta (940).

Even though at an LGA level, the Gold Coast City Council had an overall score of 1024, it is important to note that pockets of disadvantage are evident at a smaller area level. The Logan City Council area for example had an IRSD Score of 971, with the highest proportion of residents located in Quintile 1 (27.4%).